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SUBJECT: MOZAMBIQUE: DEMARCHE DELIVERED FOR MATHESON'S  
RE-ELECTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL LAW COMMISSION

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On August 31 emboff delivered reftel talking points, background information and diplomatic note on the re-election of Mr. Michael Matheson, the U.S. candidate to the International Law Commission (ILC), to Faruque Faquira, Head of United Nations Department, Directorate of International Conferences and Organizations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Faquira responded that the Government was currently reviewing candidates for this election and that Mozambique also has a candidate, Ambassador Pedro Comissario. Faquira stated that Mozambique seeks mutual support for its candidate to the ILC and would provide further information as available. Post will provide any further substantive reaction septel.  
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